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TITLE: LAVATORY

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INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE |
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ABSTRACT:

A lavatory especially for use by persons confined in a sitting position in wheelchairs and the like, said lavatory having an integral extended body portion cantilever supported by a concealed arm support system extending from the wall adjacent to the rear of the lavatory of a room containing the lavatory, and having substantially no underlying obstructions which would prevent said persons from easy access to the lavatory. The lavatory also includes a drain slope defining the opening of its bowl, which serves not only to allow splash water to drain back into the bowl, but also as a splash deflector.

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